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In re application of: Shen et al.

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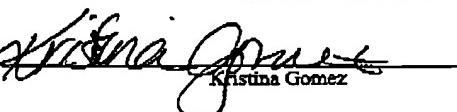
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed June 8, 2006 finally rejecting Claims 1-46.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Appeal Fee: \$250.00 (Small Entity) \$500.00 (Large Entity)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

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<u>Months</u>	<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor
is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Total Fee Due

Notice of Appeal Fee \$500
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Charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500388, (Order No. CISCP193).

Respectfully submitted,
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